

Siena College Research Institute
 May 13-16, 2013
 623 New York State Registered Voters
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Q1. Is New York State on the right track, or is it headed in the wrong direction?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Right track	49%	64%	27%	42%	49%	49%	64%	53%	31%	42%	51%	60%	49%	38%	43%	69%	64%	60%	42%	50%	48%	50%	48%	54%	46%	45%	54%
Wrong direction	44%	28%	69%	52%	45%	43%	31%	37%	65%	53%	41%	31%	45%	55%	50%	26%	25%	36%	52%	42%	46%	40%	47%	35%	45%	48%	42%
Don't know/No opinion	7%	8%	4%	7%	6%	8%	6%	10%	3%	5%	7%	8%	5%	6%	7%	5%	10%	5%	6%	8%	6%	10%	5%	10%	9%	7%	5%

Q2. Is the United States on the right track, or is it headed in the wrong direction?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Right track	41%	58%	14%	32%	42%	40%	57%	48%	19%	37%	42%	46%	43%	34%	34%	62%	58%	50%	37%	37%	40%	33%	38%	49%	42%	39%	37%
Wrong direction	56%	37%	85%	65%	56%	56%	37%	49%	79%	61%	54%	47%	56%	64%	64%	27%	33%	47%	61%	58%	58%	60%	45%	53%	57%	62%	
Don't know/No opinion	4%	6%	1%	2%	2%	5%	6%	3%	2%	2%	4%	7%	1%	2%	2%	10%	9%	3%	2%	5%	2%	10%	2%	6%	5%	4%	0%

I'm going to read a series of names of people and institutions in public life and I'd like you to tell me whether you have a favorable opinion or an unfavorable opinion of each person or institution I name.

Q3. Andrew Cuomo																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Favorable	64%	79%	46%	52%	60%	66%	74%	68%	50%	60%	65%	76%	63%	52%	60%	77%	71%	60%	60%	68%	66%	85%	57%	60%	64%	63%	62%
Unfavorable	32%	18%	53%	37%	36%	28%	23%	28%	45%	35%	31%	20%	31%	43%	36%	19%	21%	31%	37%	28%	31%	13%	38%	30%	28%	35%	36%
Don't know/No opinion	5%	3%	2%	10%	4%	5%	3%	4%	6%	5%	5%	4%	6%	5%	4%	4%	8%	9%	3%	3%	2%	2%	4%	10%	8%	2%	2%

Q4. Barack Obama																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Favorable	58%	80%	19%	52%	55%	60%	84%	61%	29%	55%	58%	73%	49%	48%	46%	94%	87%	69%	52%	55%	52%	62%	53%	73%	61%	57%	53%
Unfavorable	40%	18%	80%	44%	43%	38%	14%	36%	71%	44%	39%	25%	48%	50%	51%	6%	9%	28%	46%	43%	47%	32%	45%	23%	36%	41%	45%
Don't know/No opinion	2%	2%	1%	4%	2%	3%	2%	2%	0%	1%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	0%	4%	3%	2%	2%	2%	6%	2%	4%	3%	2%	2%

Q5. Sheldon Silver																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
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Favorable	23%	27%	20%	17%	25%	21%	24%	23%	19%	23%	22%	29%	18%	20%	20%	35%	21%	13%	26%	24%	22%	34%	24%	16%	24%	19%	24%
Unfavorable	34%	26%	41%	41%	40%	29%	26%	34%	42%	34%	34%	28%	40%	36%	40%	17%	13%	18%	32%	46%	36%	35%	32%	31%	26%	33%	42%
Don't know/No opinion	43%	47%	38%	41%	35%	50%	50%	43%	40%	42%	44%	43%	43%	44%	40%	48%	66%	69%	42%	31%	42%	30%	44%	54%	51%	48%	34%

Q6. Dean Skelos																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Favorable	14%	12%	16%	16%	17%	12%	13%	16%	14%	13%	14%	12%	22%	11%	13%	17%	22%	19%	15%	10%	18%	18%	12%	9%	11%	14%	18%
Unfavorable	16%	16%	18%	16%	22%	11%	10%	18%	17%	23%	14%	16%	15%	18%	18%	9%	7%	7%	18%	19%	16%	15%	18%	11%	10%	16%	23%
Don't know/No opinion	70%	72%	66%	68%	61%	77%	76%	67%	69%	64%	72%	72%	63%	71%	68%	74%	71%	73%	67%	71%	66%	67%	70%	80%	79%	69%	59%

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Q7. Jeff Klein																											
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	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Favorable	13%	10%	16%	18%	17%	11%	10%	14%	15%	11%	14%	15%	16%	10%	12%	16%	13%	14%	15%	12%	16%	14%	9%	9%	16%	18%	
Unfavorable	10%	9%	9%	13%	10%	10%	11%	9%	11%	14%	9%	11%	9%	9%	13%	7%	11%	11%	8%	8%	4%	11%	11%	9%	8%	12%	
Don't know/No opinion	76%	80%	75%	69%	73%	79%	79%	77%	74%	76%	77%	74%	73%	81%	79%	71%	79%	75%	74%	80%	76%	80%	75%	80%	81%	76%	70%
Q8. New York State Assembly																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Favorable	39%	48%	32%	32%	34%	43%	46%	40%	33%	41%	38%	45%	41%	32%	35%	56%	62%	49%	32%	41%	41%	36%	40%	37%	43%	39%	38%
Unfavorable	45%	36%	57%	52%	53%	38%	37%	44%	53%	51%	44%	37%	42%	54%	50%	31%	26%	31%	54%	45%	44%	46%	41%	35%	48%	53%	
Don't know/No opinion	16%	16%	11%	16%	13%	18%	17%	16%	14%	9%	18%	17%	16%	14%	15%	13%	13%	20%	14%	14%	20%	14%	22%	22%	14%	9%	
Q9. Your New York State Assembly Member																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Favorable	52%	57%	47%	49%	51%	52%	55%	54%	47%	53%	51%	55%	49%	50%	50%	54%	64%	53%	51%	52%	56%	46%	54%	41%	51%	49%	55%
Unfavorable	24%	17%	35%	27%	28%	21%	21%	22%	30%	26%	24%	21%	27%	26%	26%	23%	22%	20%	27%	24%	24%	29%	22%	28%	19%	28%	30%
Don't know/No opinion	24%	25%	19%	24%	21%	27%	23%	23%	24%	21%	25%	24%	25%	24%	24%	23%	14%	27%	22%	24%	20%	25%	24%	31%	29%	22%	16%
Q10. New York State Senate																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
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Favorable	43%	54%	32%	31%	42%	43%	45%	49%	34%	41%	43%	48%	49%	33%	36%	66%	68%	57%	38%	40%	42%	32%	43%	46%	49%	40%	40%
Unfavorable	48%	36%	65%	59%	51%	46%	42%	44%	57%	52%	47%	41%	43%	59%	56%	24%	24%	31%	54%	52%	49%	54%	50%	41%	38%	49%	57%
Don't know/No opinion	9%	10%	3%	10%	6%	11%	12%	7%	9%	7%	10%	11%	8%	8%	8%	11%	8%	12%	8%	9%	8%	14%	7%	13%	13%	11%	4%
Q11. Your New York State Senator																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Favorable	59%	65%	51%	54%	57%	60%	65%	66%	45%	57%	59%	70%	54%	51%	55%	70%	81%	62%	58%	57%	60%	64%	58%	57%	58%	57%	61%
Unfavorable	28%	20%	40%	33%	29%	26%	21%	21%	42%	31%	26%	20%	30%	33%	31%	16%	13%	20%	30%	30%	26%	16%	30%	29%	26%	31%	29%
Don't know/No opinion	14%	15%	9%	13%	14%	14%	14%	13%	12%	11%	14%	10%	16%	16%	14%	14%	7%	18%	12%	13%	14%	20%	12%	14%	16%	12%	10%
Q12. I know it's a long way off, but if Andrew Cuomo runs for re-election as Governor in 2014, as things stand now, would you vote to re-elect him or would you prefer someone else?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
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Re-elect Cuomo	55%	70%	36%	44%	51%	58%	66%	60%	39%	51%	56%	65%	59%	41%	51%	73%	71%	43%	55%	60%	55%	70%	54%	50%	57%	52%	51%
Prefer someone else	36%	22%	59%	45%	42%	32%	25%	31%	53%	42%	35%	26%	31%	50%	40%	22%	21%	46%	37%	32%	38%	21%	39%	36%	32%	39%	40%
Don't know/No opinion	9%	8%	6%	12%	7%	11%	9%	9%	8%	7%	9%	9%	9%	9%	5%	8%	11%	8%	8%	7%	9%	7%	14%	11%	8%	9%	

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Q13. How would you rate the job that Andrew Cuomo is doing as Governor? Would you rate it excellent, good, fair, or poor?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Excellent	10%	16%	5%	4%	8%	12%	15%	9%	6%	8%	10%	15%	9%	5%	8%	14%	14%	3%	11%	12%	13%	13%	7%	8%	12%	6%	13%
Good	42%	51%	32%	34%	41%	43%	44%	46%	34%	41%	42%	47%	44%	36%	40%	52%	43%	39%	39%	46%	40%	56%	38%	47%	41%	44%	40%
Fair	31%	27%	33%	38%	30%	31%	31%	30%	33%	28%	32%	28%	30%	35%	32%	27%	36%	42%	28%	28%	29%	29%	33%	32%	32%	33%	27%
Poor	16%	6%	30%	23%	20%	14%	9%	13%	27%	21%	15%	10%	17%	23%	19%	6%	7%	14%	21%	13%	19%	2%	21%	9%	14%	16%	20%
Don't know/No opinion	1%	0%	0%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%	3%	0%	1%	0%	1%	3%	2%	1%	0%	

Q14. How would you describe the fiscal condition of New York State right now? Would you describe it as excellent, good, fair, or poor?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
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Excellent	1%	2%	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%	0%	0%	1%	2%	1%	0%	1%	3%	2%	0%	1%	2%	0%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%
Good	19%	27%	10%	15%	22%	17%	25%	19%	14%	20%	19%	25%	18%	14%	18%	29%	23%	16%	17%	23%	20%	26%	14%	24%	14%	16%	18%
Fair	44%	48%	43%	40%	47%	42%	43%	50%	38%	45%	44%	43%	47%	44%	42%	51%	40%	53%	41%	42%	46%	40%	47%	38%	37%	45%	49%
Poor	33%	22%	47%	42%	29%	37%	25%	28%	47%	34%	33%	27%	31%	41%	38%	15%	34%	28%	40%	30%	32%	31%	36%	32%	37%	34%	29%
Don't know/No opinion	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	4%	2%	0%	0%	3%	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	4%	1%	3%	2%	

Q15. Which of the following two statements best describes how you feel about New York State legislators: [CHOICES ROTATED]																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
While there are some bad apples, most New York State legislators are honest and law-abiding	52%	58%	46%	46%	49%	54%	61%	52%	44%	52%	52%	56%	52%	48%	51%	58%	60%	51%	50%	54%	53%	58%	50%	50%	54%	53%	50%
While there are some good ones, most New York State legislators cannot be trusted	44%	38%	50%	51%	48%	41%	37%	45%	50%	44%	45%	39%	44%	50%	46%	39%	39%	49%	46%	41%	43%	40%	45%	47%	43%	46%	45%
Don't know/No opinion	4%	4%	4%	3%	2%	5%	2%	2%	6%	4%	4%	4%	4%	2%	3%	3%	1%	0%	3%	5%	4%	2%	4%	3%	3%	1%	5%

Q16. Governor Cuomo says, QUOTE, New York State government is working again, UNQUOTE. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the Governor? Do you strongly agree, agree somewhat, neither agree nor disagree, disagree somewhat, or strongly disagree?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Strongly agree	8%	12%	3%	4%	8%	8%	10%	9%	4%	9%	7%	15%	4%	3%	4%	17%	13%	9%	5%	8%	7%	9%	7%	9%	10%	6%	7%
Agree somewhat	42%	51%	33%	36%	40%	44%	44%	46%	36%	42%	43%	49%	40%	38%	41%	55%	43%	38%	39%	51%	42%	54%	43%	41%	45%	42%	40%
Neither agree nor disagree	13%	15%	11%	12%	12%	14%	17%	12%	11%	10%	14%	13%	17%	10%	12%	10%	19%	25%	11%	7%	14%	8%	11%	16%	10%	15%	14%
Disagree somewhat	18%	15%	20%	22%	18%	18%	18%	19%	17%	18%	18%	13%	17%	24%	21%	12%	11%	12%	20%	19%	19%	16%	18%	17%	17%	21%	18%
Strongly disagree	18%	7%	32%	26%	22%	15%	10%	13%	30%	22%	17%	10%	21%	24%	20%	5%	13%	14%	24%	14%	18%	12%	19%	17%	16%	16%	22%
Don't know/No opinion	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	2%	0%	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	2%	1%	2%	0%	0%	

Thinking specifically about some aspects of state government, for each area, would you say state government is working well or is not working well, or if you simply don't know enough to answer.																											
Q17. Demonstrating fiscal accountability																											
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Working well	23%	30%	14%	23%	26%	22%	31%	23%	18%	21%	24%	25%	25%	21%	23%	24%	30%	22%	26%	23%	29%	23%	26%	22%	23%	28%	
Not working well	47%	35%	61%	53%	48%	45%	39%	44%	57%	55%	44%	39%	50%	51%	52%	27%	37%	40%	54%	43%	49%	49%	40%	40%	38%	46%	58%
Don't know enough to answer	30%	35%	25%	23%	26%	33%	30%	33%	25%	24%	31%	35%	25%	28%	25%	49%	33%	38%	20%	33%	28%	31%	28%	34%	40%	32%	14%

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Q18. Controlling state spending																											
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Working well	22%	26%	15%	21%	24%	20%	25%	24%	16%	25%	21%	24%	22%	19%	21%	27%	20%	16%	22%	25%	21%	20%	24%	22%	17%	21%	30%
Not working well	57%	48%	74%	61%	56%	59%	48%	55%	69%	62%	56%	50%	59%	64%	60%	44%	57%	58%	65%	50%	58%	53%	62%	52%	60%	57%	56%
Don't know enough to answer	21%	26%	11%	18%	20%	22%	27%	21%	15%	13%	23%	26%	19%	17%	19%	29%	23%	26%	13%	25%	21%	27%	15%	26%	24%	22%	14%
Q19. Enacting policies that lead to job creation																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+
Working well	24%	26%	17%	24%	27%	21%	28%	25%	18%	27%	23%	26%	22%	22%	21%	28%	32%	22%	26%	22%	23%	17%	22%	27%	20%	20%	31%
Not working well	55%	49%	67%	56%	55%	54%	53%	51%	62%	59%	54%	49%	56%	59%	56%	50%	49%	60%	55%	51%	59%	51%	58%	47%	59%	59%	47%
Don't know enough to answer	22%	25%	16%	20%	18%	25%	19%	23%	20%	14%	24%	25%	22%	19%	23%	22%	19%	18%	19%	26%	18%	32%	20%	26%	21%	20%	22%
Q20. Making state government more ethical																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+
Working well	27%	32%	18%	24%	30%	24%	37%	26%	20%	20%	29%	27%	28%	26%	25%	28%	41%	38%	25%	23%	29%	23%	22%	31%	28%	26%	29%
Not working well	45%	38%	59%	46%	48%	43%	37%	44%	55%	54%	43%	40%	45%	51%	50%	28%	35%	33%	51%	46%	46%	50%	42%	45%	42%	42%	49%
Don't know enough to answer	28%	30%	23%	30%	23%	32%	27%	30%	25%	26%	28%	33%	27%	23%	25%	44%	24%	29%	24%	31%	24%	27%	35%	24%	30%	32%	22%
Q21. Safeguarding the rights of all New Yorkers																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+
Working well	43%	50%	36%	38%	44%	43%	52%	41%	38%	40%	45%	46%	53%	34%	42%	48%	49%	43%	47%	39%	45%	56%	39%	44%	35%	44%	52%
Not working well	42%	35%	54%	44%	41%	42%	34%	44%	46%	42%	41%	38%	36%	49%	43%	32%	42%	42%	44%	39%	43%	25%	41%	42%	45%	42%	38%
Don't know enough to answer	15%	15%	10%	18%	15%	15%	14%	15%	16%	18%	14%	16%	11%	17%	15%	19%	8%	14%	10%	21%	12%	19%	20%	14%	21%	14%	9%
Q22. The State Legislature is scheduled to end its 2013 regular session next month. Which of the following issues that are being publicly discussed do you think should be the top priority for the Legislature and Governor before session ends? [CHOICES ROTATED]																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+
Passing laws to address legislative corruption	41%	38%	46%	45%	44%	39%	32%	46%	46%	42%	41%	43%	42%	40%	42%	40%	44%	36%	46%	41%	43%	38%	40%	42%	39%	44%	45%
Approving the Governor's women's equality agenda	21%	29%	10%	19%	13%	28%	32%	22%	10%	14%	23%	26%	20%	18%	20%	23%	33%	32%	18%	19%	21%	37%	20%	21%	21%	19%	24%
Allowing voters to decide on a constitutional amendment allowing non-Indian casinos in New York	13%	13%	14%	10%	16%	9%	6%	14%	17%	13%	12%	10%	12%	15%	12%	13%	8%	13%	10%	15%	16%	4%	11%	10%	18%	12%	6%
Enacting a system of public campaign financing for New York State elections	15%	12%	15%	18%	18%	13%	18%	15%	12%	17%	14%	14%	17%	15%	15%	16%	10%	11%	17%	14%	12%	13%	17%	15%	12%	16%	16%
Vol: Something else	5%	4%	11%	3%	6%	5%	4%	2%	10%	9%	4%	4%	7%	6%	3%	1%	3%	9%	3%	4%	6%	6%	7%	5%	5%	6%	
Don't know/No opinion	4%	3%	4%	5%	3%	6%	7%	2%	4%	3%	5%	4%	5%	5%	4%	5%	5%	4%	1%	8%	4%	2%	5%	4%	5%	5%	2%

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Q23. How serious a problem would you say corruption is in the New York State Legislature? Would you say it's very serious, somewhat serious, not very serious, or not at all serious?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Very serious	41%	38%	45%	43%	43%	40%	38%	38%	46%	42%	41%	43%	44%	37%	40%	43%	50%	37%	42%	43%	38%	49%	41%	43%	41%	40%	43%
Somewhat serious	48%	49%	48%	47%	46%	50%	48%	51%	45%	47%	48%	46%	41%	54%	50%	47%	37%	51%	49%	47%	52%	47%	47%	43%	47%	50%	47%
Not very serious	8%	10%	5%	7%	9%	6%	10%	9%	3%	6%	8%	7%	11%	6%	7%	8%	11%	12%	6%	6%	8%	2%	6%	11%	8%	9%	6%
Not at all serious	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Don't know/No opinion	3%	4%	2%	3%	2%	4%	3%	1%	6%	5%	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	1%	0%	3%	4%	1%	2%	6%	3%	4%	1%	3%
Q24. Over the last few weeks, several state legislators have been arrested in a series of state government corruption scandals. In light of that, which of these two statements best describes how you feel: [CHOICES ROTATED]																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Our state government is working effectively for New Yorkers	26%	33%	17%	24%	27%	26%	32%	29%	20%	24%	27%	29%	29%	22%	25%	27%	47%	34%	23%	25%	29%	30%	21%	29%	29%	23%	27%
Our state government is becoming more dysfunctional every day	67%	59%	79%	71%	67%	67%	58%	68%	75%	72%	66%	65%	67%	71%	68%	71%	52%	61%	73%	67%	68%	63%	71%	63%	67%	71%	67%
Don't know/No opinion	6%	8%	4%	5%	6%	7%	10%	4%	5%	5%	6%	6%	4%	8%	7%	2%	1%	5%	4%	8%	3%	7%	7%	8%	4%	6%	6%
Q25. And when it comes to Governor Cuomo's efforts to date to address the issue of legislative corruption, which of the following two statements comes closest to how you feel: [CHOICES ROTATED]																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Governor Cuomo hasn't even tried to clean up state government in Albany; he deserves much of the blame for this	27%	20%	41%	28%	31%	24%	21%	23%	38%	25%	27%	20%	32%	31%	29%	20%	11%	30%	28%	25%	29%	21%	26%	26%	28%	23%	30%
Governor Cuomo has tried hard to clean up state government in Albany, but there is nothing he or any governor can do to prevent crooked politicians from getting elected to the State Legislature	63%	72%	51%	60%	60%	65%	68%	67%	53%	64%	62%	75%	55%	55%	60%	75%	79%	56%	62%	67%	62%	78%	63%	60%	63%	65%	62%
Don't know/No opinion	10%	9%	9%	13%	9%	11%	11%	10%	9%	10%	10%	5%	13%	14%	11%	5%	10%	14%	10%	8%	9%	2%	11%	14%	9%	12%	8%
Q26. How likely would you say it is that there will be more arrests of state legislators for corruption in the near future? Would you say it is very likely, somewhat likely, not very likely, or not likely at all?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Very likely	44%	41%	51%	44%	42%	46%	33%	49%	49%	49%	43%	49%	45%	40%	42%	53%	48%	39%	47%	45%	47%	40%	44%	42%	40%	43%	51%
Somewhat likely	44%	46%	43%	41%	47%	41%	51%	41%	41%	35%	46%	41%	41%	49%	47%	37%	43%	45%	41%	46%	44%	51%	44%	41%	49%	42%	40%
Not very likely	7%	9%	3%	9%	8%	7%	10%	8%	3%	9%	7%	7%	9%	5%	6%	7%	7%	10%	7%	5%	6%	2%	6%	11%	6%	8%	8%
Not likely at all	2%	1%	3%	4%	2%	3%	3%	1%	3%	6%	2%	2%	1%	4%	2%	3%	2%	5%	3%	1%	1%	5%	3%	3%	3%	4%	0%
Don't know/No opinion	2%	3%	0%	3%	2%	3%	4%	1%	3%	1%	3%	1%	4%	2%	2%	0%	0%	1%	2%	3%	1%	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%	1%
Q27. Who do you think should take the lead in trying to clean up corruption in the state legislature? [CHOICES ROTATED]																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Governor Cuomo	20%	24%	15%	18%	18%	22%	16%	24%	20%	17%	21%	26%	22%	13%	18%	30%	31%	14%	23%	21%	25%	7%	22%	13%	23%	17%	22%
Federal prosecutors	27%	26%	29%	29%	33%	22%	31%	27%	25%	36%	25%	25%	33%	26%	27%	25%	26%	32%	29%	23%	29%	31%	24%	29%	25%	28%	30%
Attorney General Schneiderman	26%	25%	29%	26%	29%	23%	28%	25%	25%	27%	25%	23%	19%	32%	30%	16%	13%	15%	32%	25%	24%	29%	24%	30%	18%	28%	32%
Local county district attorneys	9%	10%	9%	6%	7%	10%	8%	7%	12%	7%	9%	8%	8%	9%	9%	9%	7%	9%	6%	10%	9%	16%	8%	7%	13%	8%	4%
The Legislature itself	12%	11%	9%	15%	10%	13%	14%	11%	9%	10%	12%	12%	11%	11%	14%	13%	19%	6%	14%	9%	16%	15%	11%	14%	12%	6%	
Don't know/No opinion	7%	5%	9%	7%	4%	9%	4%	6%	10%	3%	8%	5%	6%	8%	6%	6%	11%	11%	4%	7%	5%	2%	7%	11%	7%	7%	6%

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Q28. How confident are you that Governor Cuomo will succeed in pushing through reforms to reduce corruption in New York's political system? Are you very confident, somewhat confident, not very confident, or not confident at all?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Very confident	10%	14%	5%	8%	7%	13%	12%	12%	7%	13%	10%	15%	12%	5%	8%	16%	15%	5%	10%	13%	13%	14%	7%	10%	14%	8%	9%
Somewhat confident	51%	58%	44%	44%	46%	55%	51%	53%	49%	44%	53%	54%	50%	48%	49%	64%	58%	53%	49%	52%	53%	47%	54%	46%	52%	54%	46%
Not very confident	25%	21%	32%	28%	30%	20%	27%	24%	24%	26%	24%	19%	24%	31%	29%	11%	24%	26%	27%	23%	23%	30%	24%	28%	22%	25%	29%
Not confident at all	12%	5%	18%	18%	14%	10%	7%	11%	18%	16%	11%	9%	12%	15%	13%	8%	3%	15%	13%	10%	10%	9%	14%	12%	11%	12%	14%
Don't know/No opinion	2%	2%	0%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%	0%	1%	4%	2%	2%	2%

Q29. On another subject, do you support or oppose passing an amendment to the state constitution to allow non-Indian, Las Vegas style casinos to be built in New York?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Support	53%	47%	60%	60%	56%	50%	46%	53%	60%	54%	53%	54%	50%	54%	54%	61%	62%	59%	54%	49%	58%	42%	49%	54%	46%	57%	59%
Oppose	37%	41%	35%	32%	35%	39%	44%	37%	31%	37%	34%	39%	39%	39%	38%	32%	39%	31%	40%	39%	34%	47%	45%	32%	41%	36%	33%
Don't know/No opinion	10%	12%	6%	8%	9%	11%	10%	11%	9%	9%	10%	12%	11%	7%	8%	12%	11%	10%	6%	12%	8%	11%	6%	15%	12%	7%	8%

Q30. While the proposed constitutional amendment would allow for seven casinos to be built in New York, Governor Cuomo has proposed that initially only three casinos - all in upstate New York - be built. Do you support or oppose the Governor's proposal to initially build only three casinos, all upstate?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Support	53%	55%	51%	53%	53%	53%	56%	53%	52%	54%	54%	53%	52%	52%	52%	61%	62%	52%	52%	49%	57%	44%	53%	50%	43%	59%	59%
Oppose	41%	39%	44%	39%	39%	42%	40%	37%	42%	43%	39%	39%	38%	44%	42%	32%	34%	32%	44%	43%	39%	48%	41%	39%	49%	36%	35%
Don't know/No opinion	6%	6%	4%	6%	7%	6%	7%	8%	5%	5%	7%	7%	9%	5%	7%	6%	3%	7%	4%	8%	4%	8%	6%	11%	8%	5%	6%

Q31. The State Department of Environmental Conservation - or DEC - is expected to soon issue a decision on whether or not to allow hydrofracking - that is, the proposed method to recover natural gas from parts of upstate New York - to move forward. How much have you heard or read about it - a great deal, some, not very much, or nothing at all?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
A great deal	32%	28%	38%	34%	40%	26%	32%	28%	37%	33%	31%	24%	29%	43%	38%	13%	9%	21%	31%	39%	31%	27%	31%	34%	24%	36%	35%
Some	29%	28%	30%	29%	31%	27%	34%	28%	24%	25%	30%	25%	24%	35%	30%	26%	27%	23%	31%	30%	27%	35%	31%	27%	35%	25%	29%
Not very much	20%	20%	22%	17%	17%	22%	13%	23%	22%	17%	20%	24%	23%	14%	18%	30%	24%	21%	18%	20%	24%	15%	16%	19%	21%	16%	18%
Nothing at all	19%	23%	9%	20%	12%	25%	21%	21%	16%	23%	18%	27%	25%	8%	13%	32%	39%	35%	19%	10%	18%	23%	21%	21%	19%	21%	18%
Don't know/No opinion	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%

Q32. Do you support or oppose the Department of Environmental Conservation allowing hydrofracking to move forward in parts of upstate New York?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Support	39%	33%	50%	41%	46%	34%	33%	35%	52%	40%	40%	38%	42%	39%	41%	31%	41%	44%	38%	40%	42%	39%	37%	39%	38%	38%	47%
Oppose	41%	47%	30%	39%	40%	41%	52%	41%	29%	39%	41%	39%	33%	47%	42%	41%	40%	36%	45%	38%	39%	33%	41%	44%	42%	42%	37%
Don't have enough information	16%	16%	16%	18%	11%	20%	12%	19%	15%	17%	16%	20%	21%	9%	13%	24%	18%	17%	13%	18%	15%	22%	18%	16%	18%	15%	12%
Don't know/No opinion	4%	5%	4%	1%	3%	4%	3%	5%	3%	4%	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%	5%	1%	5%	4%	4%	4%	6%	5%	1%	2%	5%	4%

Q33. Switching gears, do you support or oppose creating a system of public campaign financing in New York that would limit the size of political contributions to candidates and use state money to match smaller contributions made to candidates for state offices?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Support	57%	61%	46%	63%	61%	54%	64%	57%	52%	52%	59%	60%	55%	57%	58%	55%	57%	55%	59%	60%	65%	51%	59%	57%	58%	60%	
Oppose	34%	28%	46%	31%	33%	35%	25%	36%	40%	40%	32%	27%	39%	38%	36%	29%	33%	35%	38%	31%	34%	28%	38%	30%	33%	34%	34%
Don't know/No opinion	9%	11%	8%	6%	7%	11%	10%	8%	8%	7%	9%	12%	6%	7%	7%	13%	12%	9%	8%	10%	6%	7%	11%	11%	10%	8%	5%

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Nature of the Sample	
New York State Registered Voters	
Party	
Democrat	47%
Republican	23%
Independent/Other	26%
Region	
NYC	38%
Suburbs	24%
Upstate	38%
Political View	
Liberal	28%
Moderate	38%
Conservative	30%
Union Household	
Yes	21%
No	78%
Religion	
Catholic	39%
Jewish	6%
Protestant	29%
Other	24%
Age	
18 to 34	23%
35 to 54	38%
55 and older	37%
Gender	
Male	45%
Female	55%
Race/Ethnicity	
White	73%
African American/Black	17%
Latino	11%
Income	
Less than \$50,000	33%
\$50,000 to \$100,000	29%
\$100,000 or more	27%